

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A zoom lens includes, in order from an object side, a first lens unit with positive power; a second lens unit with positive power; and a third lens unit with negative power. When the magnification of the zoom lens is varied, extending from a wide-angle position to a telephoto position, spacings between the first lens unit and the second lens unit and between the second lens unit and the third lens unit become wider at the telephoto position than at the wide-angle position, and the third lens unit remains fixed. Thus, a telephoto zoom lens which has a large aperture and in which aberrations extending from infinity to a short distance are favorably corrected can be provided.